

What is Claimed:

1. A coefficient update method for a time domain equalizer of a DMT system which uses multi-carrier modulation, comprising;

5 a step of calculating the response characteristics of a channel and those of said time domain equalizer from the output of said time domain equalizer during a training period, and updating the coefficient of said time domain equalizer; and

10 a step of calculating the characteristic parameters of a channel and those of said time domain equalizer from the output of said time domain equalizer using a synchronization signal during a data period and updating the coefficient of said time domain equalizer.

15 2. The coefficient update method for the time domain equalizer according to Claim 1, wherein

said coefficient update step has a step of calculating the coefficient of said time domain equalizer to minimize the errors of said response characteristic using the LMS.

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3. A coefficient update method for the time domain equalizer of a DMT system which uses multi-carrier modulation, comprising;

a step of calculating the response characteristics of a channel and those of said time domain equalizer from the output of an FFT at a subsequent stage of said time domain equalizer; 25 and

a step of calculating a coefficient of said time domain

equalizer to minimize the errors of said response characteristics using the LMS.

4. The coefficient update method for the time domain equalizer according to Claim 3, wherein

5 said step of calculating said coefficient comprises;  
a step of calculating a convolution coefficient to minimize the errors of said response characteristics using the LMS; and  
a step of updating the coefficient of said time domain  
10 equalizer using said convolution coefficient.

5. A receive method of a DMT system which uses multi-carrier modulation, comprising;

a time domain equalizer step of equalizing receive signals  
15 in the time domain;

a step of performing FFT processing on the output of said time domain equalizer;

a step of performing frequency domain equalizer processing on said FFT-processed output;

20 a step of decoding the output of said frequency domain equalizer; and

a step of calculating the response characteristic of a channel and those of said time domain equalizer from the output of said time domain equalizer according to the synchronization pattern of a training period and of a data period, and updating  
25 the coefficient of said time domain equalizer.

6. The receive method according to Claim 5, wherein said coefficient update step comprises a step of calculating the coefficient of said time domain equalizer to minimize the errors of said response characteristic using the LMS.

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7. A receive method of a DMT system which uses multi-carrier modulation, comprising ;

a time domain equalizer step of equalizing receive signals in the time domain,

10 a step of performing FFT processing on the output of said time domain equalizer,

a step of performing frequency domain equalizer processing on said FFT-processed output,

15 a step of decoding the output of said frequency domain equalizer; and

a step of calculating the response characteristics of a channel and those of said time domain equalizer from the output of said FFT, and updating the coefficient of said time domain equalizer.

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8. The receive method according to Claim 7, wherein said coefficient update step further comprises a step of calculating the coefficient of said time domain equalizer to minimize the errors of said response characteristics using the LMS.

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9. A DMT system which uses multi-carrier modulation, comprising;

a channel;

a transmitter which performs multi-carrier modulation on a training pattern during a training period and on a synchronization pattern during a data period, and outputs the patterns to the channel; and

a receiver which performs multi-carrier demodulation on receive signals from said channel,

wherein said receiver equalizes said receive signals in the time domain using a time domain equalizer, performs FFT processing on the output of said time domain equalizer, then equalizes said FFT-processed output in the frequency domain using a frequency domain equalizer, and also calculates the response characteristic of the channel and those of said time domain equalizer from the output of said time domain equalizer according to the training pattern and the synchronization pattern, and updates the coefficient of said time domain equalizer.

10. A DMT system which uses multi-carrier modulation, comprising;

a channel;

a transmitter which performs multi-carrier modulation on a training pattern and outputs the pattern to the channel; and

a receiver which performs multi-carrier demodulation on receive signals from said channel,

wherein said receiver equalizes said receive signals in the time domain by a time domain equalizer, performs FFT processing on the output of said time domain equalizer, then

equalizes said FFT-processed output in the frequency domain using  
a frequency domain equalizer, and also calculates the response  
characteristics of said channel and those of said time domain  
equalizer from said FET output, and updates the coefficient of  
5 said time domain equalizer.

11. A DMT modem which uses multi-carrier modulation,  
comprising;

10 a transmitter which performs multi-carrier modulation  
on a training patterns during a training period and on a  
synchronization pattern during a data period, and outputs the  
patterns to a channel; and

a receiver which performs multi-carrier demodulation  
on receive signals from said channel,

15 wherein said receiver equalizes said receive signals in  
the time domain using a time domain equalizer, performs FFT  
processing on the output of said time domain equalizer, then  
equalizes said FFT-processed output in the frequency domain using  
a frequency domain equalizer, and also calculates the response  
20 characteristics of the channel and those of said time domain  
equalizer from the output of said time domain equalizer according  
to the training pattern and the synchronization pattern, and  
updates the coefficient of said time domain equalizer.

25 12. A DMT modem which uses multi-carrier modulation,  
comprising;

a transmitter which performs multi-carrier modulation on

a training pattern and outputs the pattern to a channel; and  
a receiver which performs multi-carrier demodulation on  
receive signals from said channel,

wherein said receiver equalizes said receive signals in  
5 the time domain using a time domain equalizer, performs FFT  
processing on the output of said time domain equalizer, then  
equalizes said FFT-processed output in the frequency domain using  
a frequency domain equalizer, and also calculates the response  
characteristics of said channel and said time domain equalizer  
10 from the output of said FFT, and updates the coefficient of said  
time domain equalizer.

13. A coefficient update method for TEQ wherein the coefficient  
algorithm of the TEQ is given by the following formula;

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$$Z = Y \times Ww$$

$$Bu = Z/X'$$

$$E = Z - Bw \times X'$$

$$Vu = 1 - \alpha \times E \times Z'$$

$$Ww \text{ (new)} = Ww \text{ (old)} * Vw$$

20 where  $Z'$  is a complex conjugate of  $Z$ .

14. A coefficient update method for TEQ wherein the coefficient  
of the TEQ is updated by a signal after a cyclic prefix of a  
synchronous signal is removed.

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15. A coefficient update method for TEQ wherein a training  
pattern and a synchronization pattern are the same pattern.